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June 2, 2005

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Dear Sir/Madam,

Your refund request for 09787714 in the amount of \$540.00 has been denied .

Small entity status fee not refundable. The time has expired for the refund of this fee. A refund based on establishment of small entity status may only be obtained if a verified statement under 37 CFR 1.27 and a request for the refund of excess amount are filed within three months of timely payment of the full fee (37 CFR 1.28).

Sincerely,

  
RITA WHITE

PCT - National

703 308-9140 ext.231

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DATE PROCESSED:

3-5-04

PROCESSED BY: B.M.



**ACH PAYMENT**

**Attached is the most current ACH Information**

PCT National



**TREASURY CHECK**

**The Most Current ACH Information Was**  
**Requested From This Customer With The Purpose Of**  
**Processing His Refund Request By Electronic Fund**  
**Transfer(EFT). No EFT Information Was Received**  
**Therefore, If Customer Is Due A Refund:**  
**A CHECK WILL BE ISSUED.**



**CREDIT TO DEPOSIT ACCOUNT**

091787,714

**This Request for Refund Will Be Processed By Crediting**  
**Deposit Account Number 11-0855.**  
**If Customer Is Due A Refund.**

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First Named Inventor	Valerie Descamps et al.
Group Art Unit	1623
Examiner Name	Travoss C. McIntosh III
Attorney Docket Number	32976/256844

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**ENCLOSURES** (check all that apply)

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Firm or Individual name	Jeffery B. Arnold, Reg. No. 39,540 KILPATRICK STOCKTON LLP
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Signature

Date

FEBRUARY 24, 2004

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APPLICANT: Valerie Descamps et al

SERIAL NO.: 09/787,714

GROUP ART UNIT: 1623

FILED: March 21, 2001

EXAMINER: Traviss C. McIntosh III

FOR: Endofucanases And Method Using Same For  
Preparing Fuco-oligosaccharides From  
Fucanes, Bacterium Producing  
Endofucanases And Uses Of  
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REQUEST FOR REFUND

The above-referenced application was filed on March 21, 2001, inadvertently charging the large entity rate of \$860.00. An Amendment in response to the non-final Office Action of March 25, 2003 (Paper No. 31) was filed on July 17, 2003 inadvertently continuing to charge the large entity rate of \$110.00 for a one month Extension of Time. An Amendment in response to the non-final Office Action of October 2, 2003 (Paper No. 37) was filed on January 5, 2004, again inadvertently continuing to charge the large entity rate of \$110.00 for a one month Extension of Time. The total fees paid to the Commissioner of Patents in this application is \$ 1,080.00 at the large entity rate.

Enclosed as Exhibit A is a copy of the check for the filing fee. Enclosed as Exhibit B is a copy of the \$110.00 check for the one month Extension of Time in response to Paper No. 31. Enclosed as Exhibit C is a copy of the \$110.00 check for the one month Extension of Time in response to Paper No. 37. Because the above-identified application is a small entity,

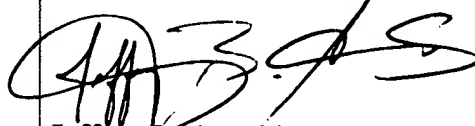
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Docket No. 32976/256844

the undersigned hereby requests a refund of \$540.00 (the difference in the large entity rate and small entity rate). The Commissioner may apply the refund to Deposit Account No. 11-0855.

A duplicate of this letter is enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "JB Arnold", written over a circular stamp or seal.

Jeffery B. Arnold

Reg. No. 39,540

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